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Live Light Type Hens

* Cents Per <u>Bird</u> Generally For Removal Within Next 10 Days* (Includes handling, freight and any other charges, weights average about 3.50 pounds)

Removal Cost

Range		Majority
Eastern Region	3.00 - 13.00	9.00 - 11.00
South Central Region	TFEWR	TFEWR
North Central Region	5.00 - 8.50	

Live Heavy Type Hens (7 Lb & Up) Preliminary Negotiated Price, Cents Per Lb., Generally For Slaughter The Week Of 25-July-2005

	At Farm Buyer Loading	
Southeast Region	Too Few Sales To Report P:	rices
South Central Region	Too Few Sales To Report P	rices

National Canner Fowl Market (Without Necks) Cents Per Pound Delivered To First Receivers

	(Freight (Cost Included)	(Without Fr	reight Cost)
	Range	Majority	Range	Majority
Light Type	24.00-33.00	27.00-28.00	23.00-31.00	25.50-26.50
Heavy Type		TOO FEW TO	REPORT	

Miscellaneous Poultry

Ready-To-Cook Prices Negotiated For Delivery To First Receivers, U.S. Grade A And Plant Grade, 5 Lbs. And Up For Week Of July 18, 2005

Central	Hens Ice Packed (12 Head Per Box) Vacuum Pack (6-9 Head Per Box)	Range 74-80 80-84	Mostly -
S. California	Under 5 Lbs. Over 5 Lbs.	TFEWR 65-73	-